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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed June 25, 2008. Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action. The response period is presently set to expire on September 25, 2008, and if this Request for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be October 25, 2008 (Saturday).

In response to the Office Action having a mailing date of June 25, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows: